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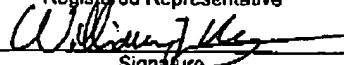
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Our Case No. 09793822-0158

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Tadashi Ishibashi)
Application No.: 10/009,021)
Filing Date: March 19, 2002)
For: ORGANIC ELECTROLUMINESCENT)
ELEMENT AND LUMINESCENT)
DEVICE)

Examiner: Camie S. Thompson
Group Art Unit No.: 1774

RESTRICTION RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of January 20, 2004, Applicants elect, without traverse, species (17)-1 on page 61, as set forth at the end of this document. Applicants submit that claims are readable on this elected species, and reserve the right to further prosecute the unelected species in applications claiming priority from the present application.

Application No. 10/296,863

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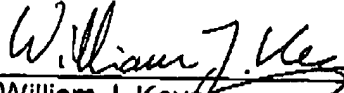
The Office has restricted the present application to a specific single species for an aminostyryl compound

Applicant elects, without traverse, species (17)-1 on page 61.

In particular, Example 14 on page 60 illustrates the use of the elected species in a representative embodiment of the invention, and Figure 3 shows the application of the elected species in a single hetero-structure.

Applicants reserve the right to prosecute unelected species in applications claiming priority from the present application.

Respectfully submitted,


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